



Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians  
7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI 49740

### TRIBAL COUNCIL TRAVEL NARRATIVE

Submitted by: Treasurer Reyes

Training/Event: 2016 Great Lakes Native American Conference  
Location: Mt. Pleasant, MI  
Date of Event: August 10 – 12, 2016

Thank you fellow Council members and the Citizens of LTBB for allowing me the opportunity to attend the 2016 Great Lakes Native American Conference "*Circle of Hope, Circle of Healing*". The following is a brief travel report/summary:

#### Tuesday– August 9, 2016

Departed from the Tribal Government building upon adjournment of the AFC meeting. In attempt to assist with cost saving measures, travel was completed via carpooling.

#### Wednesday – August 10, 2016

##### Early Registration

Opening ceremony

Invocation – Eric Rodriguez, SCIT Public Relations

Color Guard – Anishinabe Ogitchedaw Veteran and Warrior Society

Drummers – Mino Ode

Welcoming by Barbara L. McQuade, US Attorney/Eastern, Frank Cloutier, SCIT Tribal Chief

Justice and Healing: Finding our Voice , presented by: Professor Sarah Deer

Human Trafficking – Sara Woodward, Deputy Chief, General Crimes Unit

#### Thursday – August 11, 2016

Day two Welcoming presented by US Attorney John W. Vaudreuil, Western District/Wisconsin

When the Unthinkable Happens in Your Community: Crisis Response Gayle Thom

Our Journey to this Place – Jacob Flores.

Factors that Broke Apart the Indian World/Culture – Betty Davis & Hunter Genia

#### Friday – August 12, 2016

Day three Welcoming presented by US Attorney Patrick Miles Jr., Western District/Michigan

Returning To The Heartbeat That Heals – Tony Redhouse, Healer/Spiritual Leader (Dine)

Healing With The Help of "Gathering of Native Americans" (GONA) – Don Lyons, Betty Davis and Hunter Genia

Closing Invocation and Remarks